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Raw Materials have advanced in price—Today's Paint Prices are more than a Bargain. Take advantage of the Marshall-Wellis Corporation sale for the month of May.

The Champion Golf Club being affiliated with the Vulcan club, some of the members journeyed to High River on Sunday and Pete Holm has had a wonderful time.

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The story was going the rounds on Monday that the Coronation had been postponed. Big dance this Friday but of course we know it at Long Coulee better not.

Don't forget the date, May 14th.

Geo. Davey has joined the Boy Scouts, at least he saved a lady in distress on Sunday.

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in a

DANCE REVUE

Champion Community Hall

Friday, May 21st

The Ladies' Aid of the United Church held their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. C. W. Folk on Friday afternoon, Mrs. Wm. Dayman, president of the organization for the month, conducted the meeting.

During the business session money was voted to buy 100 Coronation commemorative medals to be presented to Sunday and public school children and children of not of school age belonging to members.

A quilt donated by Mrs. W. H. Miller and quilted by Mesdames Miller, Livnerne, McNaughton, Honyman, Burns, Freeman, Dymally, Craig and Crose was admired by the members and later presented to Mrs. H. G. Smith, wife of the pastor of the church who is ill.

A combined Mothers' Day and Coronation Day programme, arranged by Mrs. Dayman, was then presented. Items included: "Mothers' Day," a paper read by Mrs. A. F. Wilson; "Mother," and "Count Your Blessings," duets by Frances Dayman and Viola Cook; "The Coronation," paper by Mrs. E. L. Gibbie; "The Union Jack," a recitation by Mrs. Dayman; chorus, "God Save the King," members.

A lunch was served by Mrs. Folk assisted by Miss Mary Bowman. The president appointed for the forthcoming month is Mrs. Roy Craig and his regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. L. Gibbie.

Thirty ministers and laymen were present when the members of the High River Presbytery met in Champion on Monday, May 10th, for their annual session. Rev. Peter Dawson, M. L. A., informed the Church Board that he would continue in Champion as pastor in charge of the United Church

Seedling is practically complete in this district, and the summer following, in some instances is underway. Most fields are showing green. The high wind of the last two days has caused considerable soil drifting and rain is eagerly looked for. Turf value gas has been the popular fuel in this district this winter and at present difficulty is being encountered by the local oil agents, in obtaining same due to the large amount being used throughout Alberta.

Decorated For The Day

The merchants of Champion have co-operated in their efforts to decorate their windows for Coronation Day and the effect is decidedly pleasing. Pictures of the Royal family, of London, of the coronation itself, and of other features depicting the event, plates, flags and ornaments have been used to make the displays extremely effective. Windows worthy of special mention are those of the Champion Meat Market, The Champion Lumber Co. and G. M. Campbell's General Store. Practically every building in the business section bears some decoration to add its bit in making the day a memorable one.

Miss Augusta McNaughton, teacher of the Firewood school district, entertained the parents at a very enjoyable Coronation programme on Tuesday afternoon. The school was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A paper on "My Trip to the Old Country" by Miss McNaughton was pleasingly delivered and exceptionally interesting. A musical programme followed after which Hon. Peter Dawson, M. L. A. gave a short inspirational talk.

Coronation Celebration

With G. M. Campbell presiding, a devotional service was held in the Community hall on Wednesday afternoon, commemorating the Coronation. Following the raising of the Flag by the Boy Scouts the National Anthem was sung, after which the children of Miss McCullough's room and Miss Holm's enacted a Pageant which depicted the actual Coronation in London. Musical numbers and recitations were contributed. Hon. Peter Dawson, M. L. A. then gave a very inspirational talk on the Coronation ceremonies, stressing that they meant more than were pageantry, it meant unity of Empire. The Girl Guides then presented "The Legend of the Flag," which was a very impressive ceremony. The boys and girls present were presented with medals which were donated by the I. O. D. E., the B. P. O. E., the G. O. R. F. and the Women's Institute. The afternoon was brought to a close by the singing of "God Save the King." The program consisted of:

Breaking the Flag—Boy Scouts.
O Canada.
Our King and Queen—solo—Phyllis Ashmore.
Recitation—Margaret Path.
Crowning the King and Queen—Grades I-VI.
Patriotic Address—Hon. Peter Dawson, M. L. A.
Legend of the Flag—Girl Guides.
Distribution of Coronation Medals.
Ring the Bells of London—Public School Chorus.
God Save the King.
Lowering the Flag—Boy Scouts.

The town presented its most festive appearance in observation of Coronation Day, streets, business premises, public buildings and houses being decked with bunting, flags and Coronation emblems. Many in town and country remained beside the radio in order to hear the impressive ceremonies from London. The reception was splendid and the listeners were rewarded in their late vigil.

The Coronation dance held on Tuesday evening with the Elks as hosts proved highly enjoyable. G. M. Campbell acted as floor manager and at two o'clock everyone present joined in the National Anthem as a token of loyalty.

Farewell Reception

A farewell party was held Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Weiss, when over 70 people gathered to do honor to Rev. Father Cunningham, who is leaving the parish next week. Community singing, led by Mrs. A. Bach, was enjoyed by all, after which young and old joined in games.

Mrs. Louis Path then addressed the gathering and spoke of Rev. Father Cunningham's popularity during his five years work here and expressed keen regret at his departure. He gave of his utmost while here, and his work was appreciated deeply by his parishioners. Buddy Weiss, at this time, in a very pleasing manner, presented Father Cunningham with a purse on behalf of those present as a small token of appreciation. The recipient responded very pleasantly. During the evening the guest of honor sang two solos, which added greatly to the general enjoyment of the evening. Refreshments were served and all adjourned to their homes wishing Father Cunningham the greatest of success in his new parish.

Dance Revue Proves Ability Of Children

In a Dance Revue Miss Valerie Ellwood presented her pupils, who have only been in training for a few months, to a Carmangay audience Friday evening in the Community hall. Well merited praise was given to the children for the fine performance they displayed through the thoroughness of their teaching.

This is the first time a presentation of this nature has been put on here. Miss Ellwood also has a class in Barons and Champion, the former put on a revue the Friday before, and the pupils of Champion will stage their Barons and Vera Cook. On behalf of the pupils, Miss Ellwood received from the hands of Marjorie Cook a small token of appreciation, and each pupil was given a bouquet of flowers from their teacher.

In the programme were two numbers by Miss Ellwood as well as of pupils from Champion and Barons. Carmangay was represented in the following: "The Doll Shop," with Gordon Nault, Nancy Parker, Eva Fraser, Lois Hubka, Eileen DeMarin, Marjorie and Vera Cook; "Melody from the Sky," with Freda Boulter, Eileen Dayman, Gladys Leonard and Helen Fraser; "Sunset," featuring Adeline Crantz; "School Days," with Eileen DeMarin, Vera Cook; "Knock, Knock," by Freda Boulter, Eileen Dayman, Gladys Leonard and Eva Fraser; solo tap, Marjorie Cook.

Give Children A Treat

It was a glorious day for the Carmangay school children Wed. At one o'clock a number of pupils in fancy costumes were grouped on a decorated truck with a trailer behind on which were seated four musicians, Gordon Burns, Frank and Emerie Lazzo and Harold Horde, also in costume. A parade started from the school, with the rest of the children walking behind, followed by four or five decorated cars, going round town they stopped at the Meat Market, where "Batch" Low had all the lower grades go in to the store, there after singing the National Anthem, he gave them a weiner apiece, and outside scattered some pennants and coppers. The parade wound up at the Community hall for the free pictures, during which ice cream and candy were handed round. At the close of the movies the children were grouped on the stage, they made a pretty picture, when after singing a few national songs, each child was presented with a medal donated by the Ladies' Aid.

Stray Carrier Pigeon

On Tuesday morning F. Gottenberg discovered a pigeon in his barn, which proved to be exceptionally tame. The pigeon bore two bands on its legs, the rubber band on the left leg bearing the inscription 8-449, while the aluminum band on the right leg bore the letters and numbers L. H. S-453, the 34 is placed in an upright position. Any information in regards to the pigeon's owner would be appreciated by Mr. Gottenberg.

Church of England in Canada services will be held on Whit-sunday in Champion Community hall at 11 a. m., and in Emmanuel church, Carmangay at 3 p. m. In both services special forms for the Hallowing of the King will be used.

Champion Theatre

Saturday, May 15th 1937

Shirley Temple

in

"The Poor Little

Rich Girl"

SPECIAL MATINEE at 2.30

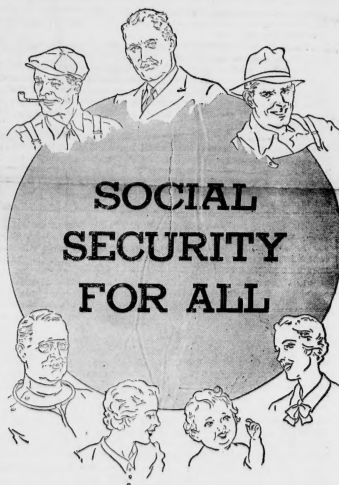
Pre-school 10c All school 15c

Regular Nite Show at 8.30

Saturday, May 15th - Show at 8.30

Mrs. Oscar Sletto entertained over thirty guests on Sunday, May 9th, at a dinner party, the occasion being Mr. Sletto's birthday. The feature of the day was a birthday cake which

was made and decorated by Mrs. F. Gottenberg. Out of town guests included, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gibson and son of Calgary and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sletto of Claresholm



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The Champion Chronicle

L. A. STARK
Editor and Publisher

Thursday, May 13, 1937

Parents, Attention!
Members of the Champion Golf Club have lately been put to considerable trouble and some expense through young boys tearing up the greens on the local course. The club would greatly appreciate any assistance the parents can give in this connection, and while we wish the youngsters to play as much as possible, constant expense increases our yearly fees.

Card of Thanks
I wish to thank all my friends, also Nurses Ry and Smith and Dr. Freeze for their kindness shown to me during my recent illness.

Ada Williamson.

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Mrs. Chapman.

For Sale
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For Sale
Seed Corn for sale, White Flint government test, \$3.00 per bushel.
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Barons Briefs

Mrs. Farley Sherwood spent the week end visiting her home in Calgary.

Stanley Paulson is now working in the Safeway Store in Lethbridge.

Several cases of German measles have been going around. This is quite a mild form.

Sunday morning services in the United Church will be conducted by the Rev. Marr of Calgary.

Several players have been out on the golf course this week. The course is reported to be in good shape.

The windstorms have caused considerable damage to some of the early wheat. Parts will have to be reseeded.

Brown showed his patriotic spirit on Coronation Day by the large number of flags and decorations displayed in the business section and other parts of town.

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Carmangay News

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Taylor enjoyed Coronation Day at the home of their daughter Mrs. Don Bond at Gleichen.

300 trees for the park were brought back from Lethbridge by the men who went down to dig them up on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Henson of Hartel, enjoyed the week-end at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roemmle.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Olson and family of Daumheller, were the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al's McMillan on Coronation Day.

Miss Mary Parker, nurse-in-training at the Vancouver General Hospital, has passed with highest marks and has received her cap.

A sand blinch was given to part of the Pool house that the painters had started on just before the wind got going on Monday.

We have just heard that Bill Reubner, an old timer of the district east of Carmangay, was killed in an auto-mobile accident in San Francisco in Jan.

On account of the serious illness of Mrs. Hummon Miss Ina Hummon was called home. Ina Hummon was called home on Saturday from Nakup, where she has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Orville Harper.

Sid Collier, Bill Honeyman, Joe McKie, Bright Robertson, Jim Fraser attended the Canadian Legion Banquet held at Valeau, Monday evening. Const. J. Ridley of Barus drove them up.

Mrs. Vernon Frank will entertain the North Priscilla Club at the home of Mrs. H. Frank on Wednesday, May 19th. All members are particularly asked to be present as there is something important to discuss.

Mrs. Wm. Pocock and Miss Joy entertained at bridge on Saturday afternoon, complimentary to Mrs. H. L. McDonald of Calgary and Mrs. Don Bond of Gleichen. These two ladies have been the guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Taylor.

The east branch of the Womans' Auxiliary of the Carmangay hospital had a very successful meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Levo on Monday afternoon. Plans were definitely arranged for the dance to be held on Friday, May 21st at the Finn hall where you always have a good time. Dinner and lunch included for 75¢.

The Womans' Hospital Auxiliary met on Saturday night in the Town office. Mrs. Wm. Moore was elected president to replace Mrs. Francis who is leaving the district.

The material to be made up for the hospital was distributed to a number of ladies. The ladies in town have volunteered to hang the curtains when the building is ready. There was a good attendance at the meeting.

Local & General

Painters are at work on the Pool elevator.

Miss Ada Williamson is convalescing at her home.

G. L. Debus delivered a Diesel tractor to Pete Ho'm last week.

Andrew Anderson of Lethbridge was a week end visitor at his home here.

The grading outfit with W. Reher in charge commenced operations this week.

Miss Buddy James and Mrs. J. S. Muir were Lethbridge visitors over the weekend.

Halley Smith has charge of the local grasshopper station which will soon be in operation.

Mrs. Connell and family accompanied by Frank Martin moved to their farm at Taber on Sunday.

S. Lindstedt, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis, resumed his duties at the school on Monday.

Donald Campbell will leave this week for Lethbridge, where he has accepted a position in the shoe department of the T. Eaton Co.

K. R. McLevy, Sight Specialist 200 Southern Bldg., Calgary, will be at the Drug Store on Tuesday afternoon, May 18th.

Ladies of the W. L. please note that the regular monthly meeting will be held at the Teachers on Tuesday, May 18th, at 2:30.

A fire, originating from ashes, started in the garage at the home of R. D. Farries, but was discovered before it caused any serious damage.

Mrs. D. Clements and Joe Hagerman were called to Calgary last week due to the serious illness of their father, Mr. Hagerman Sr.

It must be pretty cold in Sunny Alberta when a certain young man in town drained out the Anti-freeze thinking the car might freeze up.

Among Lethbridge visitors Saturday were Mrs. Muir, Miss Buddy James, Mr. and Mrs. F. Watts and Patricia, Miss R. Watts and Mr. and Mrs. P. Patterson.

B. B. Cardinal, who is relieving on the local Bank of Commerce staff, due to the absence of Geo. Davey on holidays, left for Valeau upon the return of the latter.

The Social Credit executive of the Little B. W. Constituency will meet in Champion on Wednesday, May 19th, when several matters of importance will come up for discussion.

Premier Aberhart will speak at Staveley on Saturday, May 22nd, and it is expected a large number from Champ. will be present. Other cabinet ministers will also be in attendance.

Mother's Day was fittingly celebrated in Champion on Sunday. A special service was held at the United Church at which Rev. Dawson, M. L. A., officiated. Many plants and gifts found their way to mothers as a remembrance of the day.

The benefits of a reasonable gasoline tax and legal prohibition against diversion of highway funds to other purposes, is well illustrated in the experience of Missouri.

Missouri's gasoline tax was set at 2 cents a gallon in 1918 and a constitutional amendment prohibited its increase before 1928. The same amendment prohibited use of gasoline tax for any purpose other than road building.

Today, although Missouri ranks eighteenth in area, eleventh in population, and ninth in automobile registration, the state ranks sixth in mileage of improved roads.

The Missouri highway department has insisted that its roads show need for improvement before expenditures are made with the result that there are few roads in the state which do not support themselves from gasoline taxes and registration fees on cars actually using the roads. Art. 17.

Agents Hummon, Clever and Bozorth of the National, Seale and Alberta Pacific Grain Companies, respectively, spent Sunday at the latter's farm planting a plot which contains seven different varieties of pure seed corn, seven of wheat, five of barley and five of oats. The object primarily of this project is to determine for those interested the variety that is best suited to this district. Fertilizer was added in some instances to determine the advantage derived from same. The growth will be watched with interest.

An accident occurred on the highway one mile south of Champion on Saturday evening when a Chevrolet driven by R. Arnot, blockman for the Oliver Ltd., Calgary, and a Marquette driven by Jack Taylor of Logan met head on. Mr. Taylor who had just purchased his car in Lethbridge Saturday, was with his wife and family, motoring to Champion to spend the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Taylor. Although both cars were badly damaged, no one was injured, and the cars were brought in to the Champion garage for repairs. The cause of the accident is unknown.

Mrs. B. D. Hummon Is Dead
On Sunday morning Mrs. B. D. Hummon was taken ill suddenly at her home and passed away Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock. She had been a sufferer for a number of years from diabetes.

Mrs. Hummon was one of the old timers of the town, having come here with her husband in the early days and farmed on the edge of town on land that she bought from Mr. Carman. During her lifetime here she was connected with many of the activities of the district and was a great worker, and was a member of the Eastern Star.

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